

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

CARRIE L. TOLSTEDT,

Defendant.

Case No. 20-cv-07987-JST

**SCHEDULING ORDER**

The Court hereby sets the following case deadlines pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16 and Civil Local Rule 16-10:

Event	Deadline
Deadline to add parties or amend the pleadings <sup>1</sup>	July 30, 2021
Updated joint case management statement due	December 7, 2021
Further case management conference	December 14, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.
Fact discovery cut-off	August 2, 2022
Mediation deadline	To be determined
Expert disclosures	September 15, 2022
Expert rebuttal	October 27, 2022

<sup>1</sup> After this deadline, a party may still seek amendment, but must demonstrate good cause. Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(4).

Event	Deadline
Expert discovery cut-off	December 5, 2022
Dispositive motion briefing complete	March 24, 2023
Dispositive motion hearing deadline	May 23, 2023
Pretrial conference statement due	August 18, 2023
Pretrial conference	August 25, 2023 at 2:00 p.m.
Trial	September 18, 2023 at 8:00 a.m.
Estimate of trial length (in days)	16

This case will be tried to a jury.

Each side may take up to 20 depositions without further leave of Court. The Court will further expand the 20-deposition limit on a showing of good cause.

Counsel may not modify these dates without leave of court. The parties shall comply with the Court's standing orders, which are available at <https://cand.uscourts.gov/judges/tigar-jon-s-jst/>.

The Court has set a dispositive motion deadline which allows enough time for the Court to consider any such motions well in advance of trial. The parties should assume that any subsequent continuance of the dispositive motion deadline, or any enlargement of the dispositive motion briefing schedule beyond that set forth in Civil Local Rule 7-3, will result in a continuance of the pretrial conference and trial dates of equal or greater length.

The parties must take all necessary steps to conduct discovery, compel discovery, hire counsel, retain experts, and manage their calendars so that they can complete discovery in a timely manner and appear at trial on the noticed and scheduled dates. All counsel must arrange their calendars to accommodate these dates, or arrange to substitute or associate in counsel who can.

Trial dates set by this Court should be regarded as firm. Requests for continuance are disfavored. The Court will not consider any event subsequently scheduled by a party, party-controlled witness, expert or attorney that conflicts with the above trial date as good cause to grant

a continuance. The Court will not consider the pendency of settlement discussions as good cause to grant a continuance.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: June 29, 2021

  
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JON S. TIGAR  
United States District Judge

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